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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, IN, US

SUBJECT: LEFTIST PRESS ATTACKS ON U.S.

REF: DELHI 11635, 11505, STATE 200860

1. NEA/INS DIRECTOR KUX TOOK OPPORTUNITY OF AUGUST 28
CALL BY INDIAN DCM VENKATESWARAN TO FOLLOW UP COMPLAINT
REGARDING BLITZ ATTACK (STATE REFTEL) TO EXPRESS OUR
CONCERN ABOUT CONTINUING COMMUNIST PRESS ATTACKS AND
ALLEGATIONS THAT U.S. WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR BANGLADESH COUP.
GIVEN SENSITIVITY OF BANGLADESH DEVELOPMENTS, WE CON-
SIDERED THESE ALLEGATIONS PARTICULARLY OFFENSIVE AND
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INCONSISTENT WITH GOI CENSORSHIP RULES BARRING REPORTS
LIKELY TO AFFECT INDIA'S RELATIONS WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

2. VENKATESWARAN TRIED TO DISPUTE OUR INTERPRETATION OF

CENSORSHIP CLAIMING THIS RELATED ONLY TO INTERNAL
AFFAIRS, BUT SAID HE WOULD OF COURSE REPORT OUR OBJECTIONS
TO NEW DELHI. HE EMPHASIZED THAT GOI IN NO WAY BELIEVED
THAT USG HAD ANY HAND IN BANGLADESH DEVELOPMENTS. INGERSOLL

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